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The Research and Statistics Section of the Minnesota Department of Public Welfare prepared this 1970 annual report on public assistance for American Indians. Data were gathered from the 21 counties containing a majority of Indians and the City of Minneapolis Department of Public Relief. The report includes data on the State's expenditures for medical assistance, general relief, and federally aided maintenance programs, such as Aid for Dependent Children, Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Blind, and Aid to the Disabled. Data are given in tabular form. (NQ)

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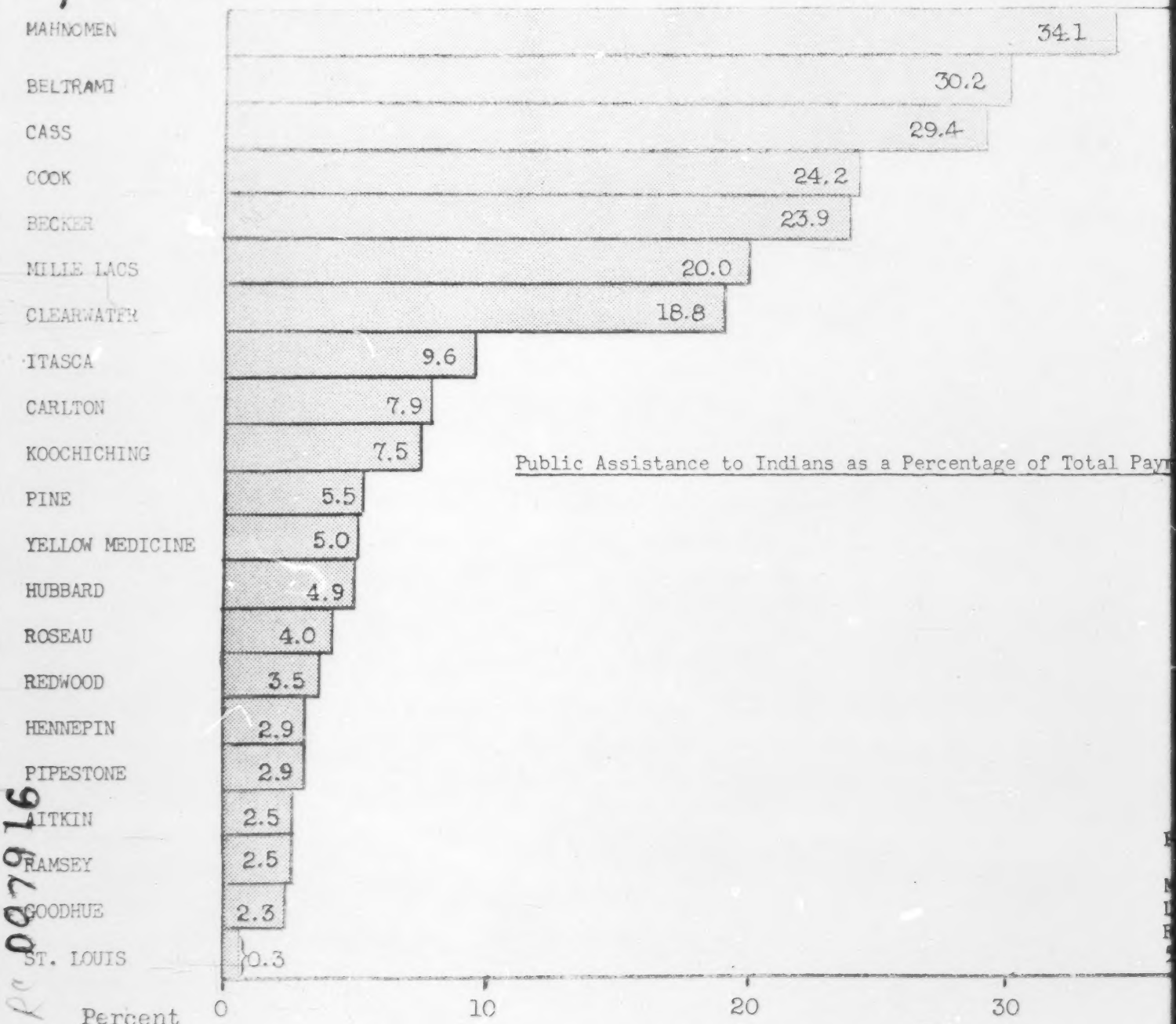

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Cost of Care of Minnesota Indians

Calendar Year 1970

Total Public Assistance

The number of Indian recipients of Public Assistance in Minnesota rose 28.8% during the 1970 calendar year. This brings to 18,184 the total number of Indians receiving Public Assistance. In December alone, 6,458 of an estimated 20,000 Indians received PA, a decrease of 7.7% from December, 1969.

Total expenditures during calendar year 1970 were $7,221,680, an increase of 12.0% from the 1969 total of $6,447,062. Increases occurred in AFDC, OAA, and AD. GR, AB, and MA dropped. The total PA expenditure to Indians was 4.1% of the total Public Assistance in Minnesota. Average annual cost per recipient during 1970 was $397.28, a decrease of $59.31. Money payments to Indians by county in the 21 counties covered in this report ranges from a high of $2,366,435 in Hennepin County, which includes Minneapolis DPR, to Pipestone County which allocated $15,885 to Indian Aids.

This report includes data from the 21 counties containing a majority of Minnesota Indians and City of Minneapolis Department of Public Relief. Hennepin County is a Township County, and as such, does not report General Relief. Minneapolis DPR reports GR but none of the aid programs or medical programs. In instances where Minneapolis DPR is not specifically indicated it will be included with Hennepin County. The 1970 GR data for St. Louis County are actual, although no report was received on the aid programs or medical programs. In 1969, St. Louis County was estimated for all programs. Trends reported will be without St. Louis County since historical data is approximate and the new data is incomplete.

General Relief

General Relief expenditures accounted for 17.9% of the total. Including St. Louis County, the $1,296,337 is a decrease of 22.3% from 1969. Without St. Louis County, the number of families and persons decreased by 3.8% and 9.2% respectively. The average annual payment was $231.74. Maintenance Relief amounts to 31.6% of GR, while medical care is 13.2%. Decreases in MR are caused by persons transferring from MR to AFDC Unemployed Father. Drops in other aspects of GR can be attributed to transfers of foster care from GR Foster Care accounts to AFDC Foster Care.

Medical Assistance

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ical care for Indian recipients totaled $2,044,325, excluding
Louis County, with 7,606 persons receiving payment for an
age payment $268.78 per person. MA Only accounted for $652,596
9%) of all medical payments. In the related programs, OAA
ived $105,402 (5.2%); AFDC, $881,827 (43.1%); AB, $21,710
); AD, $219,268 (10.7%); and GR, $163,457 (8.0%). In the
ted programs, substantial increases ocurred in AFDC, OAA, and
along with GR. AB medical payment dropped 25.9% which was
ed by one fewer case in 1970 than in 1969. MA Only showed
a slight increase with a large drop in the 65+ category
nced by smaller increases in 21-64 and under 21 age groups.
three age groups showed a decrease in number of persons.
decrease in 65+ group is caused by transfers of ICF cases
MA Only to AD, and to a small extent OAA, thus accounting
increases in medical care for AD and OAA. Persons in the less
21 category may be transferred to AFDC Foster Care and AFDC
ployed Father, thus, the decrease in MA Only Under 21 and
ease in AFDC medical care.

erally Aided Maintenance Programs

nditures in the Federally Aided maintenance programs increased
each program to a total of $4,044,475, an increase of $908,067
(0%). Expenditures in each were: AFDC, $3,542,972 or 87.2% of
total; OAA, $245,252 or 6.1%; AB, $30,502 or 0.8%; and AD,
,149 or 5.6%. The number of persons aided increased 425 to
7, 40.0%. This increase reflects a large increase, 434 (44.9%),
FDC, a small increase from 3 to 5 in AB and decreases of 9 and
spectively in OAA and AD. In maintenance AFDC is the controllin
or with 87.6% of the expenditure and 94.2% of the recipients.
increase in maintenance is caused by transfers to AFDC from
nd MA Only Foster Care and Unemployed Father cases along with
al changes within the programs. How these trends might change
t. Louis County were included both in Maintenance and Medical
rams can only remain speculation but should be accurately
lected.

TABLE I

Public Assistance Expenditures for Indians

Calendar Year 1970

Program	Payments*	Percent of Total	Percent of Program**
General Relief	$1,296,336.96	17.9%	100.0%
Maintenance Relief	397,627.43	5.5	30.7
Medical Care	163,841.14	2.3	12.6
Other General Relief	265,127.05	3.7	20.5
Children under State Guardianship	269,356.77	3.7	20.8
Children not under State Guardianship	178,321.39	2.3	13.8
University Hospital Care	8,472.07	0.1	0.7
State Instiutions	13,591.11	0.2	1.0
AFDC	$4,424,859.34	61.3%	100.0%
Maintenance	3,542,972.06	49 1	80.1
Medical	881,887.28	12.2	19.9
OAA	$ 351,258.55	4.9%	100.0%
Maintenance	245,852.34	3.4	69.9
Medical	105,406.21	1.5	30.0
AB	$ 52,211.83	0.7%	100.0%
Maintenance	30,501.66	0.4	58.4
Medical	21,710.17	0.3	41.6
AD	$ 444,417.28	6.2%	100 0%
Maintenance	225,148.94	3.1	50.7
Medical	219,268.34	3.1	49.3
MA-Only	$ 652,596.22	9.0%	100.0%
65 and Over	141,634.79	2.0	21.7
21 - 64	64,496.19	0.9	9.9
Children Under 21	446,465.24	6.1	68 4
TOTAL:	$7,221,680.18	100.0%	100.0%

* Does not include Administrative Costs.

** Does not add due to rounding.

Indians

Percent of Program**	Total Change from 1969 Amount**	Percent
100.0%	$- 373,073	- 22.3%
30.7	- 175,534	- 30.6
12.6	+ 40,707	+ 33.1
20.5	+ 248,494	+1,494.0
20.8	- 185,995	- 40.8
13.8	- 292,118	- 62.1
0.7	- 2,827	- 25.0
1.0	- 5,801	- 29.9
100.0%	$+ 964,267	+ 27.9%
80.1	+ 746,646	+ 26.7
19.9	+ 217,621	+ 32.8
100.0%	$+ 31,947	+ 10.0%
69.9	+ 13,629	+ 5.9
30.0	+ 18,317	+ 21.0
100.0%	$- 4,539	- 8.0
58.4	+ 3,205	+ 11.7
41.6	- 7,744	- 26.3
100 0%	$+ 166,027	+ 59.6%
50.7	+ 71,565	+ 46.6
49.3	+ 94,462	+ 75.7
100.0%	$- 10,011	- 1.5
21.7	- 56,386	- 28.5
9.9	+ 10,438	+ 19.3
68 4	+ 35,937	+ 8.8
100.0%	$+ 774,618	+ 12.0%

TABLE II

Public Assistance: Indian Recipients

Calendar Year 1970

Program	Recipients	Percent of Program	Percent of Total
General Relief	9,880	100.0%	54.3%
Families	2,495		
Persons:	9,880	100.0%	54.3%
Maintenance Only	2,722	27.6	15.0
Others	7,158	72.4	39.3
AFDC	5,478	100.0%	30.1%
Families	1,604		
Persons:	5,478	100.0%	30 1%
Maintenance Only	1,401	25.6	7.7
Other	4,077	74.4	22.4
OAA	355	100.0%	2.0%
Maintenance Only	60	16.9	0.3
Medical and Maintenance	295	83.1	1.7
AB	36	100.0%	0.2%
Maintenance Orly	5	13.9	*
Medical and Maintenance	31	86.1	0.2
AD	203	100.0%	1.1%
Maintenance Only	21	10.3	0.1
Medical and Maintenance	182	89.7	1.0
MA Only	2,232	100.0%	12.3%
65 Years of Age and Over	131	5.9	0.7
21-64 Years of Age	28	1.3	0.2
Children Under 21	2,073	92.8	11.4
TOTAL Recipients	18,184	100.0%	100.0%

* Unduplicated

II

Indian Recipients

r 1970

Percent of Total	Change from 1969 Number	Change from 1969 Percent
54.3%	+ 3,695	+ 59.7%
	- 48	- 1.9%
54.3%	+ 3,695	+ 59.7
15.0	- 1,754	- 39.2
39.3	+ 5,449	+318.8
30.1%	+ 1,034	+ 23.3%
	+ 313	+ 24.2
30 1%	+ 1,034	+ 23.3%
7.7	+ 398	+ 39.7
22.4	+ 636	+ 18.5
2.0%	- 19	- 5 1%
0.3	- 15	- 20.0
1.7	- 4	- 1.3
0.2%	0	0 0%
*	+ 2	+ 66 7
0.2	- 2	- 6.1
1.1%	+ 29	+ 16.7%
0.1	- 8	- 27.6
1.0	+ 37	+ 25.5
12.3%	- 669	- 23.1%
0.7	- 73	- 35.8
0.2	- 12	- 30.0
11.4	- 584	- 22.0
100.0%	+ 4,070	+ 28.8%

TABLE III
Average Cost Per Recipient
Calendar Year 1970

Program	Average Total Cost Per Recipient*	Program
General Relief	$ 131.21	OAA-Medical
AFDC	807.75	MA-Only
OAA	989.46	65 Years of Age an
AB	1,450.33	21 - 64 Years of A
AD	2,189.25	Children Under 21
MA Only	292.38	AFDC-Medical
		AB-Medical
		AD-Medical
		General Relief

* Includes Medical Care.

TABLE IV*
Summary of Public Assistance Expenditures for Indians by Source of Funds (Estimated)
Calendar Year 1970

Program	Total	Federal	Percent of Total	State	Percent of Total
General Relief	$1,296,337	$ 317,632	24.50%	$ 235,860	18.19%
AFDC	4,424,859	2,519,957	56.95	952,451	21.53
OAA	351,259	200,042	56.95	73,940	21.05
AB	52,213	29,735	56.95	11,239	21 53
AD	444,417	253,095	56.95	95,661	21.53
MA	652,595	371,653	56.95	140,471	21.53
Total	$7,221,680	$3,692,114	51.13%	$1,509,622	20 90

* Estimated

	Average Annual Cost Per Recipient of Medical Care
al	$ 357.31
	292.38
rs of Age and Over	1,081.18
4 Years of Age	2,303.44
en Under 21	215.37
cal	216.31
l	700.33
l	1,204.77
elief	211.14

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Percent of Total	County	Percent of Total
18.19%	$ 742,845	57.31%
21.53	952,451	21.53
21.05	77,277	22.0
21 53	11,239	21.53
21.53	95,661	21.53
21.53	140,471	21.53
20 90	$2,017,944	27.97

TABLE V

Average Annual Cost and Percentage of Total PA Expenditures by Coun

Calendar Year 1970

County	Public Assistance Payments - All Programs 1970	1969	Change	Percent	Average Annual Cost Per Recipient 1970	Change
Hennepin*	$2,366,435	$2,521,143	$-154,708	- 6.1%	$ 514.11	$- 42.
Ramsey	1,090,815	570,999	+519,816	-91.0	918.97	+181.
St. Louis	59,103	184,085	-124,982	-67.9	13 02	-276.
Aitkin	33,210	19,808	+ 13,402	+67.7	873.95	+402.
Becker	570,160	466,513	+103,647	+22.2	471.21	+135.
Beltrami	755,763	702,397	+ 53,366	+ 7.6	596.50	+ 80.
Carlton	169,471	147,824	+ 21,647	+14.6	485.59	+201.
Cass	680,473	583,939	+ 96,534	+16.5	492.03	+126.
Clearwater	230,932	145,819	+ 85,113	+58.4	314 62	+ 29.
Cook	72,898	66,319	+ 6,579	+ 9.9	607.48	+316.
Goodhue	34,933	33,447	+ 1,486	+ 4.4	572.67	+ 15.
Hubbard	40,010	27,649	+ 12,361	+44.7	482.05	+113.
Itasca	311,413	277,767	+ 33,646	+12.1	388.30	-388.
Koochiching	123,737	85,883	+ 37,854	+44.1	451.59	+165.
Mahnomen	174,872	165,351	+ 9,521	+ 5.8	363.56	+ 30
Mille Lacs	291,721	269,722	+ 21,999	+ 8.2	499.52	- 53.
Pine	95,812	81,894	+ 13,918	+17.0	391.07	- 0.
Pipestone	15,885	10,391	+ 5,494	+52.9	317.70	+ 36.
Redwood	32,823	28,742	+ 4,081	+14.2	.698.36	+249.
Roseau	32,322	23,815	+ 8,507	+35.7	788 34	+370.
Yellow Medicine	38,893	33,555	+ 5,338	+15.9	498.63	+ 84.
TOTAL:	$7,221,681	$6,447,062	+774,619	+12.0%	$ 397.28	- 59.

*Includes Minneapolis DPR.

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st	Change	Percent	Total 1970 PA Payments	1970 PA Payments to Indians as % of all PA
	-42.80	- 7.7%	$82,406,807	2.9%
	+181.25	+24.6	44,311,275	2.5
	-276.42	-95.5	22,434,662	0.3
	+402.34	+85.3	1,329,407	2.5
	+135.11	+40.2	2,383,229	23.9
	+ 80.03	+15.5	2,503,789	30.2
	+201.86	+71.1	2,155,762	7.9
	+126.84	+34.7	2,317,664	29.4
	+ 29.26	+10.3	1,227,035	18.8
	+316.61	+108.8	301,292	24.2
	+ 15.22	+ 2.7	1,552,548	2.3
	+113.40	+30.8	819,852	4.9
	-388.30	- 7.7	3,254,383	9.6
	+165.30	+57.7	1,642,216	7.5
	+ 30.86	+ 9.3	512,126	34.1
	- 53.18	- 9.6	1,460,157	20.0
	- 0.78	- 0.2	1,753,806	5.5
	+ 36.87	+13.1	553,565	2.9
	+249.27	+55.5	942,329	3.5
	+370.30	+88.7	813,679	4.0
	+ 84.37	+20.4	778,948	5.0
	- 59.51	-13.0%	$175,504,531	4.1%

TABLE VI

Number of Indians Receiving Public Assistance

Calendar Year 1970

County	OAA	MA-Only		AFDC		AB	AD	General Relief		MR
	Persons	Families	Persons	Families	Persons	Persons	Persons	Families	Persons	Persons
Hennepin	25	151	476	528	2,004	5	21	-	-	-
Mpls. DPR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	960	2,072	1,959
Ramsey	18	36	89	248	824	6	20	121	230	203
St. Louis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	148	4,541	17
Aitkin	7	4	4	6	14	-	-	13	19	2
Becker	54	145	301	119	386	6	29	207	434	395
Beltrami	56	164	297	231	670	4	20	96	220	-
Carlton	8	30	30	28	130*	1	8	52	172	128
Cass	71	131	168	131	395	5	43	288	701	-
Clearwater	12	60	194	60	248	1	5	90	274	-
Cook	6	16	30	13	28	-	4	26	52	1
Goodhue	6	11	30	5	9	-	1	11	15	-
Hubbard	-	6	13	14	49	1	-	6	20	14
Itasca	24	55	149	64	189	3	11	200	426	-
Koochiching	4	33	69	29	73	-	4	49	124	-
Mahnomen	34	74	137	30	98	1	18	82	193	-
Mille Lacs	16	57	160	49	164	2	10	75	232	-
Pine	5	16	34	20	107	1	3	30	95	-
Pipestone	-	4	10	8	28	-	-	5	12	-
Redwood	3	9	12	3	14	-	4	11	14	-
Roseau	4	6	11	6	20	-	-	6	6	-
Yellow Medicine	2	12	18	12	28	-	2	19	28	3
TOTAL:	355	1,020	2,232	1,604	5,478	36	203	2,495	9,880	2,722

* Estimated

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eneral Relief		Total		Change in Total Persons From 1969	
s Persons	MR Persons	Cases	Persons	Number	Percent
-	-	730	2,531	- 335	- 11.7%
2,072	1,959	960	2,072	+ 411	+ 24.7
230	203	449	1,187	+ 413	+ 53.4
4,541	17	148	4,541	+3,905	+614.0
19	2	24	38	- 4	- 9.5
434	395	550	1,210	- 178	- 12.8
220	-	571	1,267	- 93	- 6.8
172	128	127	349*	- 172*	- 33.0
701	-	669	1,383	- 216	- 13.5
274	-	228	734	+ 223	+ 43.6
52	1	65	120	- 108	- 47.4
15	-	34	61	+ 1	+ 1.7
20	14	27	83	+ 8	+ 10.7
426	-	357	802	+ 142	+ 21.5
124	-	119	274	- 26	- 8.7
193	-	239	481	- 16	- 3.2
232	-	209	584	+ 96	+ 19.7
95	-	75	245	+ 36	+ 17.2
12	-	17	50	+ 13	+ 35.1
14	-	30	47	- 17	- 26.6
6	-	22	41	- 16	- 28.1
28	3	47	78	- 3	- 3.7
9,880	2,722	5,697	18,178	+4,064	+ 28.8%

TABLE VII
Relief Expenditures for Indians
Calendar Year 1970

County	Maintenance Relief (a)	Medical Care (b)	Other General Relief (c)	Children Under State Guardianship	Children NOT Under State Guardianship	University Hospital Care	State Institutions
Hennepin(d)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mpls. DPR	$175,929	$ 3,239	$ 1,276	-	-	-	-
Ramsey	72,159	1,071	-	$ 26,645	$ 12,074	-	-
St. Louis	6,044	384	24,454	22,617	5,603	-	-
Aitkin	66	4,670	1,595	-	792	-	1,979
Becker	124,702	399	1,055	13,803	4,440	-	-
Beltrami	-	5,323	18,990	69,936	10,217	-	7,457
Carlton	14,065	5,295	25,603	2,542	12,861	54	785
Cass	3,337	58,088	36,220	91,467	28,598	5,928	1,520
Clearwater	-	475	41,591	3,459	7,778	-	230
Cook	173	10,192	3,782	165	1,906	-	220
Goodhue	-	9,009	30	-	720	-	-
Hubbard	290	-	-	1,382	1,924	-	-
Itasca	-	11,497	47,986	4,351	11,537	1,194	240
Koochiching	-	13,296	14,549	196	3,882	628	150
Mahnomen	-	-	14,913	12,167	15,966	-	540
Mille Lacs	828	25,565	16,836	15,930	35,599	644	470
Pine	-	7,316	11,580	2,737	1,194	-	-
Pipestone	-	1,071	711	15	-	-	-
Redwood	-	2,895	1,484	-	12,367	-	-
Roseau	-	-	83	-	8,101	-	-
Yellow Medicine	35	4,056	2,389	1,946	2,763	24	-
TOTAL:	$397,627*	$163,841	$265,127	$269,357	$178,321*	$8,472	$13,591

(a) Includes Cash Relief.
(b) Includes Hospital Care other than University Hospital.
(c) Includes: Burials, Illegitimacy Costs, Work Projects, and other General Relief.
(d) Township County, does not report on Indian Relief disbursements.

* Does not add due to rounding.

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–	–	–	$-308,964	-100.0%	–	–
–	–	$ 180,444	+ 23,215	+ 14.8	$ 86.75	13 92 %
–	–	111,949	+ 18,187	+ 19.4	437.30	8.64
–	–	59,103	- 31,455	- 34.7	13.02	4.56
–	1,979	9,102	+ 6,218	+215.6	479.07	.70
–	–	144,399	- 13,574	- 8.6	319.47	11.14
–	7,457	111,922	- 33,222	- 22.9	405.52	8.63
54	785	61,204	- 1,986	- 3.1	148.19	4.72
,928	1,520	225,157	+ 23,076	+ 11.4	245.80	17.37
–	230	53,532	+ 11,430	+ 27.1	116.77	4.13
–	220	16,439	- 3,000	- 15.4	159.60	1.27
–	–	9,759	+ 8,819	+938.2	574.03	0.75
–	–	3,596	- 1,724	- 32.4	179.81	0.28
,194	240	76,805	- 45,300	- 37.1	173.38	5.92
628	150	32,701	+ 598	+ 1.9	223.98	2.52
–	540	43,586	+ 610	+ 1.4	225.83	3.36
644	470	95,873	- 17,021	- 15.1	314.34	7.40
–	–	22,827	- 4,414	- 16.2	188.65	1.76
–	–	1,797	+ 572	+ 46.7	138.20	0.14
–	–	16,746	+ 664	+ 4.1	558.20	1.29
–	–	8,184	- 1,095	- 11.8	1,364.03	0.63
24	–	11,213	- 4,796	- 30.0	266.97	0.86
.472	$13,591	$1,296,337*	-373,163	- 22.4%	$ 131.21	100.00%

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TABLE VIII
Medical Care for Indian Recipients
Calendar Year 1970

County	Concurrently Receiving OAA Persons	Concurrently Receiving OAA Amount	MA Only Total Persons*	MA Only Total Amount	MA Only Adults 65+ Persons	MA Only Adults 65+ Amount	MA Only Adults 21 - 64 Persons	MA Only Adults 21 - 64 Amount
Hennepin	16	$ 6,095.73	498	$ 84,248.23	19	$ 19,237.84	3	$ 4,305.20
Mpls. DPR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ramsey	20	4,312.77	89	18,790.26	2	690.71	1	4,204.50
St. Louis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aitkin	7	6,232.58	4	1,224.42	1	33.30	-	-
Becker	38	13,322.10	301	86,996.20	15	14,873.44	2	1,207.75
Beltrami	35	5,721.21	297	108,308.08	22	18,456.82	5	24,089.40
Carlton	7	3,026.39	30	25,064.27	8	17,529.51	-	-
Cass	55	33,591.79	168	70,139.71	16	15,516.20	1	752.30
Clearwater	12	2,029.35	194	48,181.96	6	2,834.15	-	-
Cook	6	944.54	30	15,766.84	6	8,144.07	2	3,912.80
Goodhue	6	1,396.89	30	12,246.02	4	11,255.86	1	115.19
Hubbard	-	-	13	596.42	1	50.30	-	-
Itasca	25	5,501.00	149	66,168.00	6	8,740.00	5	8,505.00
Koochiching	4	1,618.32	69	17,218.52	1	602.38	3	5,141.96
Mahnomen	34	16,235.76	137	24,775.86	21	8,908.25	1	3,002.24
Mille Lacs	17	2,947.19	160	58,014.73	7	10,445.64	4	6,857.45
Pine	3	866.71	34	4,879.87	3	643.33	1	901.46
Pipestone	-	-	10	1,910.08	-	-	-	-
Redwood	3	643 55	12	2,466.55	5	968.24	1	995.74
Roseau	3	627.48	11	1,063.10	2	338.95	1	505.20
Yellow Medicine	2	292.85	18	4,537.10	5	2,365.80	-	-
TOTAL:	295	$105,406.21	2,254*	$652,596.22	150	$141,634.79	31	$64,496.19

* Contains duplication.

y 21 - 64	MA Only Children Under 21		Concurrently Receiving AFDC	
Amount	Persons	Amount	Persons	Amount
$ 4,305.20	476	$ 60,705.19	1,561	$313,569.86
-	-	-	-	-
4,204.50	86	13,895.05	757	229,301.48
-	-	-	-	-
-	3	1,191.12	14	908.00
1,207.75	284	70,915.01	240	53,924.65
24,089.40	270	65,761.86	344	59,727.09
-	22	7,534.76	82	8,913.62
752.30	151	53,871.21	240	46,125.79
-	188	45,347.81	191	30,272.30
3,912.80	22	3,709.97	32	6,695.12
115.19	25	874.97	15	788.29
-	12	546.12	36	10,808.63
8,505.00	138	48,923.00	143	26,465.00
5,141.96	65	11,474.18	61	16,339.50
3,002.24	115	12,865.37	48	8,353.66
6,857.45	149	40,[illegible]1.64	143	42,335.90
901.46	30	3,335.08	82	12,507.22
-	10	1,910.08	28	1,002.14
995.74	6	502.57	14	3,158.62
505.20	8	218.95	19	5,305.18
-	13	2,171.30	27	5,385.23
$64,496.19	2,073	$446,465.24	4,077	$881,887.28

TABLE VIII
Medical Care for Indian Recipients
Calendar Year 1970

County	Concurrently Receiving AB		Concurrently Receiving AD		General Relief		To
	Persons	Amount	Persons	Amount	Persons	Amount	Persons
Hennepin	2	$ 279.86	18	$ 34,485.01	-	$ -	2,095
Mpls. DPR	-	-	-	-	104	3,238.62	104
Ramsey	6	3,379.38	22	61,550.87	26	1,071.06	920
St. Louis	-	-	-	-	3	384.22	3
Aitkin	-	-	-	-	6	4,669.65	31
Becker	3	253.80	19	3,170.96	18	399.48	619
Beltrami	4	2,810.55	33	52,387.18	37	5,322.63	750
Carlton	1	4,732.80	6	2,882.31	54	5,295.06	180
Cass	5	3,353.42	28	17,429.10	212	58,087.90	708
Clearwater	2	1,364.23	5	705.75	13	474.80	417
Cook	-	-	4	2,525.41	60	10,191.77	126
Goodhue	-	-	1	95.17	14	9,008.93	66
Hubbard	1	2,047.75	-	-	-	-	50
Itasca	3	330.00	9	14,898.00	74	11,497.21	403
Koochiching	-	-	4	11,908.67	28	13,295.98	166
Mahnomen	1	2,487.90	14	5,913.47	-	-	234
Mille Lacs	2	461.48	9	6,247.93	70	25,565.47	401
Pine	1	209.00	4	2,746.27	27	7,316.48	153
Pipestone	-	-	-	-	1	1,070.67	39
Redwood	-	-	4	1,494.01	11	2,895.61	44
Roseau	-	-	-	-	-	-	33
Yellow Medicine	-	-	2	828.23	18	4,055.60	67
TOTAL:	31	$21,710.17	182	$219,268.34	776	$163,841.14	7,609

	Total		Average Annual Medical Costs
	Persons	Amount	Per Recipient
-	2,095	$ 438,678.69	$ 209.39
62	104	3,238.62	31.14
06	920	318,405.82	346.09
22	3	384.22	128.07
65	31	13,034.65	420.47
48	619	158,067.19	255.36
63	750	234,276.74	312.37
06	180	49,914.45	277.30
90	708	228,727.71	232.06
80	417	83,023.39	199.11
77	126	36,123.68	286.70
93	66	23,535.30	356.60
-	50	13,452.80	269.06
21	403	124,859.21	309.82
98	166	60,380.99	363.74
-	234	57,766.65	246.87
47	401	135,572.70	338.09
48	153	28,525.55	186.44
67	39	3,982.89	102.13
61	44	10,658.34	242.24
-	33	6,995.76	211.99
60	67	15,099.01	225.36
14	7,609	$2,044,709.36	$ 268.72

TABLE IA

Assistance Expenditures for Indians
Money Payment Programs (Federally Aided)
Calendar Year 1970

County	OLD AGE ASSISTANCE 1970 Total*	Change from 1969 Amount	Change from 1969 Percent	AID TO FAMILIES W/DEPENDENT CHILDREN 1970 Total*	Change from 1969 Amount	Change from 1969 Percent	A
Hennepin	$ 25,581.54	$ - 1,222	- 4.6%	$ 1,655,965.03	$+147,370	+ 9.8%	$
Ramsey	18,300.18	+ 7,078	+ 63.1	618,367.51	+329,529	+114.1	
St. Louis	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Aitkin	5,726.30	+ 2,456	+ 75.1	10,016.00	+ 2,658	+ 36.1	
Becker	30,598.77	+ 2,824	+ 10.2	210,076.48	+ 73,048	+ 53.3	
Beltrami	38,221.00	- 3,632	- 8.7	345,097.78	+ 31,934	+ 10.2	
Carlton	4,108.00	+ 69	+ 1.7	54,610.00	+ 16,223	+ 42.3	
Cass	54,565.30	+ 6,905	+ 14.5	191,057.06	+ 16,146	+ 9.2	
Cleawater	7,652.20	- 287	- 3.6	83,396.34	+ 45,823	+122.0	
Cook	3,867.00	- 456	- 10.5	15,963.00	+ 1,932	+ 13.8	
Goodhue	3,368.00	+ 365	+ 12.2	6,767.00	- 1,837	- 21.4	
Hubbard	-	- 175	-100.0	22,145.00	+ 7,460	+ 50.8	
Itasca	14,458.00	+ 303	+ 2.1	94,640.00	+ 39,052	+ 70.3	
Koochiching	2,436.10	+ 559	+ 29.8	38,861.75	+ 18,899	+ 94.7	
Mahnomen	21,900.70	+ 5,000	+ 29.6	35,478.10	+ 12,704	+ 55.8	
Mille Lacs	9,187.05	+ 2,329	+ 34.0	66,720.65	+ 30,645	+ 84.9	
Pine	2,104.00	+ 359	+ 20.6	47,981.42	+ 16,145	+ 50.7	
Pipestone	-	-	-	11,176.63	+ 2,960	+ 36.0	
Redwood	1,689.70	- 310	- 15.5	4,336.00	+ 1,706	+ 64.9	
Roseau	1,454.00	+ 378	+ 35.1	15,687.73	+ 6,329	+ 67.6	
Yellow Medicine	634.50	- 266	- 29.6	14,628.58	+ 6,738	+ 85.4	
TOTAL:	$245,852.34	+22,277	+ 10.0%	$3,542,972.06	+805,464	+ 29.4%	3

* Does not include Medical costs.

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ILDREN	AID TO THE BLIND		
969	1970	Change from 1969	
rcent	Total*	Amount	Percent
9.8%	$ 5,319.45	$ + 627	+ 13.4%
14.1	6,470.51	+2,197	+ 51.4
-	-	-	-
36.1	-	-	-
53.3	3,368.00	+ 369	+ 12.3
10.2	3,856.00	+ 321	+ 9.1
42.3	132.00	+ 14	+ 11.9
9.2	4,064.00	+ 725	+ 21.7
22.0	515.00	-2,177	+ 80.9
13.8	-	-	-
21.4	-	- 80	- 100.0
50.8	816.00	+ 54	+ 7.1
70.3	1,930.00	+ 69	+ 3.7
94.7	-	-	-
55.8	1,094.70	+1,077	+5,983.3
34.9	2,312.00	+ 768	+ 49.7
50.7	24.00	+ 21	+ 3.5
36.0	-	-	-
64.9	-	-	-
67.6	-	-	-
85.4	-	-	-
29.4%	30,501.66	+3,985	+ 15.0%

TABLE IX

Assistance Expenditures for Indians
Money Payment Programs (Federally Aided)

County	AID TO THE DISABLED 1970 Total*	Change from 1969 Amount	Change from 1969 Percent	TOTAL 1970 Total*	TOTAL Change Amount
Hennepin	$ 60,446.62	+ 9,967	+ 19.7%	$1,747,312.64	+156,742
Ramsey	18,392.99	+13,373	+266.4	661,531.19	+352,176
St. Louis	-	-	-	-	-
Aitkin	-	-	-	15,742.30	+ 5,114
Becker	24,050.00	+ 5,634	+ 30.6	268,093.25	+ 81,875
Beltrami	27,711.66	+13,547	+ 95.6	414,886.44	+ 42,169
Carlton	4,797.00	+ 1,797	+ 59.9	63,647.00	+ 18,103
Cass	34,990.00	+13,694	+ 64.3	284,676.36	+ 37,470
Clearwater	3,282.10	+ 1,544	+ 88.8	94,845.64	+ 44,904
Cook	10,696.74	+ 9,960	+1,451.4	30,526.74	+ 11,436
Goodhue	513.00	+ 513	-	10,648.00	- 1,039
Hubbard	-	- 42	-100.0	22,961.00	+ 7,297
Itasca	10,218.00	+ 2,687	+ 35.7	121,246.00	+ 42,111
Koochiching	2,653.80	- 915	- 25.6	43,951.65	+ 18,543
Mahnomen	15,046.27	+ 2,822	+ 23.1	73,519.77	+ 21,603
Mille Lacs	7,621.08	+ 3,376	+ 79.5	85,840.78	+ 37,118
Pine	1,067.00	+ 757	+244.2	51,776.42	+ 17,282
Pipestone	-	-	-	11,176.63	+ 2,960
Redwood	2,288.50	- 1,132	- 33.1	8,314.20	+ 264
Roseau	-	-	-	17,141.73	+ 6,707
Yellow Medicine	1,374.18	- 1,240	- 47.4	16,637.26	+ 5,232
TOTAL:	$225,148.94	+76,342	+ 51.3%	$4,044,475.00	+908,067

* Does not include Medical costs.

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	Change from 1969	
	Amount	Percent
2.64	+156,742	+ 9.9%
1.19	+352,176	+113.8
-	-	-
2.30	+ 5,114	+ 48.1
3.25	+ 81,875	+ 44.0
6.44	+ 42,169	+ 11.3
7.00	+ 18,103	+ 39.7
6.36	+ 37,470	+ 15.2
6.64	+ 44,904	+ 89.9
6.74	+ 11,436	+ 59.9
8.00	- 1,039	- 8.9
1.00	+ 7,297	+ 46.6
6.00	+ 42,111	+ 53.2
1 65	+ 18,543	+ 73.0
9.77	+ 21,603	+ 41.6
0.78	+ 37,118	+ 76.2
6.42	+ 17,282	+ 50.1
6.63	+ 2,960	+ 36.0
4.20	+ 264	+ 3.3
1.73	+ 6,707	+ 64.3
7.26	+ 5,232	+ 45.9
5.00	+908,067	+ 29.0%

TABLE X

Number of Indians on Public Assistance as a Percentage of Total Recipie
December, 1970

County	OLD AGE ASSISTANCE Medical* Persons	Total Persons	Percent	MA ONLY 65+ Persons	21-64 Persons	Under 21 Persons	Total Persons	Percent
Hennepin	-	24	7.4%	-	-	-	-	-
Mpls. DPR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ramsey	20	20	6.2	2	1	52	55	8.6%
St. Louis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aitkin	6	7	2.2	-	-	1	1	0.2
Becker	22	49	15.1	5	1	69	75	11.7
Beltrami	9	47	14.6	8	1	53	62	9.6
Carlton	-	7	2.2	6	-	51	57	8.9
Cass	25	65	20.1	4	-	36	40	6.2
Clearwater	12	12	3.7	1	-	188	189	29.4
Cook	6	6	1.9	5	1	3	9	1.4
Goodhue	3	5	1.5	3	-	4	7	1.1
Hubbard	-	-	-	1	-	7	8	1.2
Itasca	22	22	6.8	35	3	1	39	6.1
Koochiching	3	3	0.9	1	2	14	17	2.6
Mahnomen	29	29	9.0	12	-	16	28	4.4
Mille Lacs	13	15	4.6	4	1	18	23	3.6
Pine	5	5	1.5	2	-	5	7	1.1
Pipestone	-	-	-	-	-	8	8	1.2
Redwood	3	3	0.9	3	-	-	3	0.5
Roseau	2	3	0.9	2	1	3	6	0.9
Yellow Medicine	2	2	0.6	4	-	5	9	1.4
TOTAL:	182	324	100.0%**	98	11	534	643	100.0%**

* Those persons concurrently receiving payment within the respective programs.

** Does not add due to rounding.

Total Recipients

AID TO THE BLIND			
Percent	Medical* Persons	Total Persons	Percent
-	-	5	13.9%
-	-	-	-
8.6%	6	6	16.7
-	-	-	-
0.2	-	-	-
11.7	-	6	16.7
9.6	4	4	11.1
8.9	-	1	2.8
6.2	3	5	13.9
29.4	1	1	2.8
1.4	-	-	-
1.1	-	-	-
1.2	1	1	2.8
6.1	3	3	8.3
2.6	-	-	-
4.4	1	1	2.8
3.6	2	2	5.6
1.1	1	1	2.8
1.2	-	-	-
0.5	-	-	-
0.7	-	-	-
1.4	-	-	-
100.0%**	22	36	100.0%**

TABLE X

Number of Indians on Public Assistance as a Percentage of Total Recipi
December, 1970

County	AID TO FAMILIES W/DEPENDENT CHILDREN			AID TO THE DISABLED			GENERAL RELIEF	
	Medical* Persons	Total Persons	Percent	Medical* Persons	Total Persons	Percent	Maintenance Persons	Me Pe
Hennepin	-	452	14.8%	1	20	10.6%	163	
Mpls. DPR	-	-	-	-	-	-	415	
Ramsey	398	427	14.0	17	19	10.1	163	
St. Louis	-	-	-	-	-	-	479	
Aitkin	2	14	0.5	-	-	-	6	
Becker	69	404	13.3	5	31	16.4	225	
Beltrami	66	542	17.8	18	25	13.2	85	
Carlton	44	95	3.1	-	8	4.2	50	
Cass	59	298	9.8	8	39	20.6	137	
Clearwater	130	207	6.8	5	5	2.6	88	
Cook	5	5	0.2	1	1	0.5	6	
Goodhue	5	9	0.3	1	1	0.5	1	
Hubbard	18	37	1.2	-	-	-	5	
Itasca	55	148	4.9	5	11	5.8	96	
Koochiching	19	53	1.7	2	3	1.6	41	
Mahnomen	13	78	2.6	9	14	7.4	53	
Mille Lacs	100	120	3.9	4	7	3.7	60	
Pine	21	85	2.8	-	1	0.5	23	
Pipestone	14	21	0.7	-	-	-	-	
Redwood	3	14	0.5	1	2	1.1	11	
Roseau	10	15	0.5	-	-	-	4	
Yellow Medicine	9	25	0 8	2	2	1.1	3	
TOTAL:	1,040	3,049	100.0%**	79	189	100.0%**	2,114	

*Those persons concurrently receiving payment within the respective programs.

**Does not add due to rounding.

of Total Recipients

GENERAL RELIEF				TOTAL	
Maintenance Persons	Medical Persons	Total Persons	Percent	Indians Receiving PA	Percent
163	-	163	7.4%	664	10.3%
415	-	415	18.7	415	6.4
163	6	169	7.6	696	10.8
479	-	479	21.6	479	7 4
6	3	9	0.4	31	0.5
225	1	226	10.2	791	12.2
85	6	91	4.1	771	11.9
50	3	53	2.4	221	3 4
137	17	154	6.9	601	9.3
88	-	88	4.0	502	7.8
6	1	7	0.3	28	0.4
1	4	5	0.2	27	0.4
5	-	5	0.2	51	0.8
96	6	102	4.6	325	5.0
41	11	52	2.3	128	2.0
53	-	53	2.4	203	3.1
60	25	85	3.8	252	3.9
23	5	28	1.3	127	2.0
-	-	-	-	29	0.5
11	6	17	0.8	39	0.6
4	-	4	0.2	28	0.4
3	9	12	0.5	50	0.7
* 2,114	103	2,217	100.0%	6,458	100.0% **

TABLE XI

Trends in Public Assistance Expenditures for Minnesota Indians
1956 - 1970

Calendar Year	General Relief	AFDC	OAA	AB	AD
1956	$ 630,078	$ 235,681	$ 578,173	$36,550	$ 8,951
1957	715,940	237,106	622,683	36,104	9,419
1958	927,889	688,164	244,545	40,894	9,928
1959	1,049,128	803,917	275,123	37,753	13,307
1960	1,122,998	853,259	289,978	38,665	18,927
1961	1,293,768	998,991	311,179	41,723	17,785
1962	1,378,771	1,100,562	324,080	43,902	20,358
1963	1,425,832	1,237,717	337,823	40,816	23,491
1964	1,532,615	1,385,990	340,719	38,352	23,746
1965	1,450,828	1,444,794	266,300	32,699	31,702
1966	1,387,300	1,930,094	363,163	48,352	97,313
1967	1,391,398	2,247,676	277,370	36,601	178,993
1968	1,556,678	2,897,250	289,280	50,590	303,522
1969	1,669,410	3,460,592	319,312	56,751	278,390
1970	1,296,337	4,424,859	351,259	52,212	444,417
Change from 1956 - 1970:	$ 66,259	$4,189,178	$-226,914	$15,662	$435,466

* MAA began July 1, 1964.

** MA began January 1, 1966.

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AD	MA Only	MAA	Total
$ 8,951			$ 1,489,433
9,419			1,621,252
9,928			1,911,420
13,307			2,179,228
18,927			2,323,827
17,785			2,663,446
20,358			2,867,673
23,491			3,065,679
23,746		$ 44,437*	3,365,859
31,702		113,239	3,339,562
97,313	$280,993**		4,107,215
178,993	548,792		4,680,830
303,522	687,153		5,784,473
278,390	662,607		6,447,062
444,417	652,596		7,221,681
$435,466	$652,596		$ 5,732,248

TABLE XII

Public Assistance for Minnesota Indians
Trends in Cases and Persons by Program
1956 - 1970

Calendar Year	OAA	MAA	MA		AB	AD	AFDC			General Relief*	
	Cases	Cases	Cases	Persons	Cases	Cases	Families	Persons	Avg. Number of Persons Per Family	Families	Persons
1956	445				68	16	539	1,840	3.4	1,564	4,866
1957	448				61	16	568	1,829	3.2	1,610	4,866
1958	462				65	16	602	2,055	3.4	1,908	5,984
1959	463				58	23	629	2,210	3.5	2,018	6,379
1960	448				56	33	682	2,339	3.4	2,069	6,340
1961	456				57	31	735	2,335	3.4	2,100	6,572
1962	447				57	40	759	2,710	3.5	2,128	6,463
1963	457				52	38	795	2,760	3.5	2,336	6,664
1964	461	71			51	41	830	2,944	3.5	2,286	6,691
1965	403	122			45	48	856	3,014	3.5	2,142	6,238
1966	417		720	993	48	108	1,000	3,565	3.6	2,167	6,031
1967	364		1,091	1,919	36	135	1,026	3,715	3.6	2,267	6,128
1968	387		1,310	2,090	38	168	1,194	4,202	3.5	2,482	6,334
1969	374		1,168	2,901	36	174	1,291	4,444	3.4	2,543	6,185
1970	355		1,020	2,232	36	203	1,604	5,478	3.4	2,495	9,880
Change from 1956 - 1970:											
	- 90		+1,020	+2,232	-32	+187	+1,065	+3,638	-	+ 931	+5,014

* Includes MR Persons

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Number ersons Family	General Relief* Families	Persons	TOTAL - ALL PROGRAMS Cases	Persons	Expenditures	Average Payments Per Person
.4	1,564	4,866	2,632	7,235	$ 1,462,433	$ 202.13
.2	1,610	4,866	2,703	7,240	1,636,497	226.04
.4	1,908	5,984	3,053	8,582	1,911,420	222.72
.5	2,018	6,379	3,191	9,133	2,179,228	238.61
.4	2,069	6,340	3,288	9,216	2,323,827	252.15
.4	2,100	6,572	3,379	9,651	2,663,446	275.97
.5	2,128	6,463	3,432	9,717	2,867,673	295.12
.5	2,336	6,664	3,678	9,964	3,065,679	307.68
.5	2,286	6,691	3,740	10,259	3,365,859	328.09
.5	2,142	6,238	3,616	9,870	3,339,562	338.35
.6	2,167	6,031	4,460	11,162	4,107,215	367.96
.6	2,267	6,128	4,919	12,297	4,716,830	383.58
.5	2,482	6,334	5,579	13,219	5,784,473	437.59
.4	2,543	6,185	5,586	14,114	6,447,062	456.78
.4	2,495	9,880	5,713	18,184	7,221,681	397.14
–	+ 931	+5,014	+3,081	+10,949	$+5,759,248	$+195.01